

Docket No. 220228USA

SEP 29 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hiroaki MATSUDA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/086,683

GAU: 1756

FILED: March 4, 2002

EXAMINER:

FOR: CARRIER FOR DEVELOPER FOR DEVELOPING ELECTROSTATIC LATENT IMAGE, IMAGE FORMING METHOD USING SAME AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING SAME

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

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- It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to September 27, 2003 for
- filing a response to the Official Action dated: May 27, 2003
  - responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
  - filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
  - responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
  - filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
  - filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
  - Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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